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EXDIS, FOR THE SECRETARY FROM TARNOFF AND HOLBROOKE

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS), CH

SUBJECT: PRC TRIP BRIEFINGS

1. WE WOULD LIKE TO SUBMIT FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION A  
SCHEDULE OF SHORT BRIEFING AND CONSULTATION SESSIONS WITH  
YOU NEXT WEEK IN PREPARATION FOR YOUR TRIP TO THE PRC.

2. MONDAY, AUGUST 15: ONE HOUR  
SUBJECT: SCOPE PAPER (30 MINUTES)  
SUBJECT: CONSULTATIONS WITH THE ROC AND OTHERS (30 MINUTES)

3. TUESDAY, AUGUST 16: 1 HOUR, 15 MINUTES  
SUBJECT: NORMALIZATION AND GENERAL (60 MINUTES)  
SUBJECT: PRESS, PUBLIC AND CONGRESSIONAL HANDLING (15  
MINUTES)

4. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17: 45 MINUTES  
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SUBJECT: THE SOVIET FACTOR (45 MINUTES)

5. THURSDAY, AUGUST 18: 30 MINUTES  
RECEIVE ROC AMBASSADOR SHEN

6. PHIL HABIB, DICK HOLBROOKE AND BILL GLEYSTEN WOULD  
ATTEND ALL BRIEFING SESSIONS WITH OTHERS ADDED DEPENDING

ON THE SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION.

7. THE SCOPE AND NORMALIZATION PAPERS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR YOU TO READ UPON YOUR RETURN. OTHER PAPERS WILL BE READY FOR YOU BY MONDAY, AUGUST 15.

8. IF YOU AGREE TO THE BRIEFING SESSIONS LISTED ABOVE, WE WILL ASK DAN SPIEGEL TO SET ASIDE TIMES ON YOUR CALENDAR. WE WOULD LIKE TO TELL AMBASSADOR SHEN THIS FRIDAY, DURING GLEYSTEN LUNCH, THAT YOU WILL SEE HIM NEXT WEEK. CHRISTOPHER

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